

Amendments

In the Specification:

On page 1, line 3, please insert the following paragraph.

– This is a continuation application of the U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/955,218 filed September 19, 2001. –

Claims

Please **CANCEL** claims 1-17.

Please **ADD** claims 18-19, as follows.

1-17. (Cancelled)

18. (New) A liquid crystal display, comprising;
a first substrate;
a pixel electrode formed on said first substrate, said pixel electrode having a first openings or a first projection protruding from a surface of said pixel electrode,
wherein the first opening and the first projection form a substantially circular or ellipsional shape.

19. (New) The liquid crystal display of claim 18, further comprising:
a second substrate facing the first substrate;

an electrode formed on said second substrate, said electrode having a second opening or a second projection protruding from a surface of said electrode,

wherein any of the first opening or the first protrusion and any of the second opening or the second protrusion form a substantially circular, elliptical or curved shape.